

implementation plan for the applicable provisions of Subchapter E, Chapter 2051, Government Code, as added by this Act. The implementation plan must:

- (1) for each applicable type of legal material defined by Subchapter E, Chapter 2051, Government Code, as added by this Act, advise as to the method by which the legal material may be authenticated, preserved, and made available on a permanent basis; and
 - (2) establish a timeline for the official publisher to comply with Sections 2051.154, 2051.155, 2051.157, and 2051.158, Government Code, as added by this Act.
- (c) The implementation plan developed under Subsection (b) of this section may provide for compliance by an official publisher in the executive branch of state government with Sections 2051.154, 2051.155, 2051.157, and 2051.158, Government Code, as added by this Act, to be phased in over a period of time.
- (d) The Texas State Library and Archives Commission shall provide the implementation plan developed under Subsection (b) of this section to the legislature not later than September 1, 2020.

SECTION 3. (a) An official publisher in the legislative branch of state government shall comply with the applicable provisions of Subchapter E, Chapter 2051, Government Code, as added by this Act, in accordance with an implementation plan developed under Subsection (b) of this section.

(b) An official publisher in the legislative branch of state government, in consultation with the lieutenant governor, the speaker of the house of representatives, the Senate Committee on Administration, and the House Committee on Administration, shall develop an implementation plan for the applicable provisions of Subchapter E, Chapter 2051, Government Code, as added by this Act. The implementation plan must:

- (1) for each applicable type of legal material defined by Subchapter E, Chapter 2051, Government Code, as added by this Act, recommend the method by which the legal material may be authenticated, preserved, and made available on a permanent basis; and
 - (2) establish a timeline for the official publisher to comply with Sections 2051.154, 2051.155, 2051.157, and 2051.158, Government Code, as added by this Act.
- (c) The implementation plan developed under Subsection (b) of this section may provide for compliance by an official publisher in the legislative branch of state government with Sections 2051.154, 2051.155, 2051.157, and 2051.158, Government Code, as added by this Act, to be phased in over a period of time.
- (d) An official publisher in the legislative branch of state government shall provide the implementation plan developed under Subsection (b) of this section to the lieutenant governor and speaker of the house of representatives not later than September 1, 2020.

SECTION 4. This Act takes effect September 1, 2019.

Passed by the House on April 16, 2019: Yeas 134, Nays 1, 1 present, not voting; passed by the Senate on May 10, 2019: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

Approved May 24, 2019.

Effective September 1, 2019.

DESIGNATING JUNE AS NEONATAL ABSTINENCE SYNDROME AWARENESS MONTH

CHAPTER 160

H.B. No. 405

AN ACT

relating to designating June as Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome Awareness Month.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. Subchapter D, Chapter 662, Government Code, is amended by adding Section 662.112 to read as follows:

Sec. 662.112. NEONATAL ABSTINENCE SYNDROME AWARENESS MONTH. June is Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome Awareness Month to increase awareness of neonatal abstinence syndrome and to encourage:

(1) awareness of the dangers of opioid and substance abuse during pregnancy to prevent neonatal abstinence syndrome;

(2) the creation and update of lists of recommended materials to address neonatal abstinence syndrome available through the Department of State Health Services and the Health and Human Services Commission;

(3) electronic circulation of and posting on state and local agency websites of recommended treatment and recovery resources;

(4) the availability of resources for mothers-to-be and new mothers with substance abuse disorders, including health care services and recovery support services; and

(5) collaboration between state and federal governmental agencies, hospitals, private health care practices, health insurance providers, Medicaid providers, and mental health agencies to increase awareness.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2019.

Passed by the House on April 2, 2019: Yeas 146, Nays 1, 1 present, not voting; passed by the Senate on May 10, 2019: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

Approved May 24, 2019.

Effective September 1, 2019.

WRITTEN AGREEMENTS INCIDENT TO DIVORCE OR ANNULMENT

CHAPTER 161

H.B. No. 559

AN ACT

relating to written agreements incident to divorce or annulment.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. Section 7.006(b), Family Code, is amended to read as follows:

(b) If the court finds that the terms of the written agreement in a divorce or an annulment are just and right, those terms are binding on the court. If the court approves the agreement, the court may set forth the agreement in full or incorporate the agreement by reference in the final decree. *If the court incorporates the agreement by reference in the final decree, the agreement is not required to be filed with the court or the court clerk.*

SECTION 2. Section 7.006(b), Family Code, as amended by this Act, applies to an agreement incorporated by reference in a final decree of divorce or annulment regardless of whether the decree is signed before, on, or after the effective date of this Act.

SECTION 3. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this Act takes effect September 1, 2019.

Passed by the House on April 9, 2019: Yeas 148, Nays 0, 1 present, not voting; passed by the Senate on May 10, 2019: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

Approved May 24, 2019.